

Update on July 4 Parade

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July 4 is almost here, and we hope all residents of Duxbury and their guests plan to be at the parade, which begins at Hall's Corner at 2 pm and marches down Washington Street to St. George Street to the Middle School. The awards ceremony will be held at DMS directly after the parade.

New to this year's parade are a few local groups selling treats. Boy Scout Troop 82 will have carts going down Washington Street prior to the parade, selling flags, flag pins and ice cream treats, and will be on the Battelle lawn during the parade. Congregation Shirat Hayam will be selling cotton candy at the Exxon Tiger Mart at Hall's Corner throughout the parade. Please support these two fundraisers for worthy causes. Also new, there will be hot dogs and cold drinks for sale at the awards ceremony, so come and see all the winners and get a treat, too.

The 2002 Parade Booklet will be inserted in next week's *Clipper*, so watch for that keepsake, with information about the parade's history, local businesses supporting Duxbury's Fourth of July activities and information on this year's grand marshals. The terrific cover was designed by a local student, Kyle Turner, of Winter Street. He was one of nearly 80 Duxbury students who participated in the competition for the cover. The decision on a winner was very difficult, as there were so many beautiful, patriotic illustrations. All of the entrants' pictures are on display

at the Duxbury Free Library in the children's section. Please check them out – they are all winners!

Holiday Weekend Activities
Thursday, July 4 – 110th Parade, Hall's Corner. 2 pm.

Friday, July 5 – Concert on the Bay, featuring the South Shore Bay Band, Battelle. 6 pm (rain date Sunday, July 7, 6 pm).

Saturday, July 6 – Sixth Annual Beach Party, Duxbury Beach, featuring a magician, crazy hat contest, live bands, food concession and bonfire. Trolleys begin 3:30 pm at DMS: Beach Party begins at 4 pm.

Sunday, July 7 – Holiday Breakfast, Cornerstone Lodge. 8 am-noon.